

MEETING NEEDS IN NEVADA

Working hand-in-hand with local partners, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is investing more than \$8.8 million this year to support cost-effective community solutions in Nevada. This federal funding enables more than 1,850 Americans of all ages and backgrounds to engage in service that meets local needs, strengthens communities, and expands economic opportunity in Nevada. AmeriCorps members and Senior Corps volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

National service participants will serve at more than 250 locations across Nevada, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors will generate more than \$4.6 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Nevada this year. This local support strengthens community impact and increases the return on taxpayer dollars.

AMERICORPS



This year, more than 750 AmeriCorps members will meet pressing local needs across Nevada, making a lasting impact in communities while gaining valuable skills and experience to advance their careers. AmeriCorps members serve in one of three programs:

- **AmeriCorps State & National** engages men and women in intensive service at thousands of locations across the country through nonprofits, schools, public agencies, tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to Nevada Volunteers, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.
- **AmeriCorps VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America)** taps the skills, talents, and passion of Americans of all ages to support community efforts to overcome poverty.
- **AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps)** is a full-time, team-based residential program for 18-24 year-olds. Members develop leadership skills by contributing to public safety, environment, and disaster projects. FEMA Corps, a unit of NCCC, focuses solely on disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 5,900 Nevada residents have served approximately 8.2 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$19.5 million.

SENIOR CORPS



Senior Corps taps the skills, talents, and experience of Americans age 55 and over to meet a wide range of community challenges. This year, more than 1,050 Nevada seniors will meet critical community needs while contributing to their own health and well-being through one of three Senior Corps programs:

- **Foster Grandparents** serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to young people with exceptional needs.
- **Senior Companions** help seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes.
- **RSVP volunteers** conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services.

Last year, Foster Grandparents tutored and mentored 2,580 young people, Senior Companions helped 390 seniors live independently, and RSVP volunteers strengthened the impact of 60 organizations across Nevada.

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Disaster Services



Economic & Workforce Development



Education



Energy & Conservation



Health & Aging



Veterans and Military Families

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AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	2	92	306	\$1,474,103	\$33,484
AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	1	7	-	-
AmeriCorps State	9	66	424	\$1,245,205	\$2,864,880
AmeriCorps VISTA	7	13	42	\$256,590	\$706,770
AMERICORPS TOTAL	19	172	779	\$2,975,898	\$3,605,134
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	2	52	191	-	\$892,591
RSVP	2	64	772	-	\$271,434
Senior Companion Program	2	3	128	-	\$291,912
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL	6	119	1,091	-	\$1,455,937
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	2	-	-	-	\$122,813
Research Grants	1	-	-	-	\$158,218
State Commission Investment Funds	1	-	-	-	\$299,044
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$265,000
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL	5	-	-	-	\$845,075
PROGRAM TOTALS	30	291	1,870	\$2,975,898	\$5,906,146
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (Including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)					\$8,882,045
TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$4,640,343
TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT					\$13,522,388

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AmeriCorps

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Gardnerville	Family Support Council Child Wellness Planning Grant Family Support Council	AmeriCorps State	1	18	\$79,235	\$233,973
Las Vegas	City of Las Vegas Community Empowerment City of Las Vegas	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	9	\$54,855	\$150,336
Las Vegas	Reinvent Schools Las Vegas City of Las Vegas	AmeriCorps State	13	48	\$130,317	\$347,719
Las Vegas	Nevada Free Taxes Coalition Nevada Free Taxes Coalition	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	3	\$18,585	\$52,713
Las Vegas	Teach For America - Las Vegas Teach For America	AmeriCorps National	67	200	\$1,219,000	-
Pahrump	Nye Communities Coalition II Nye Communities Coalition	AmeriCorps VISTA	3	6	\$36,570	\$100,224
Pahrump	Partners of Prevention AmeriCorps Program Nye Communities Coalition	AmeriCorps State	14	27	\$94,473	\$247,247
Reno	Building Awaken's Capacity to Serve Low-income Victims Awaken	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,095	\$16,704
Reno	Enhancing Well-Being and Health Outcomes for Older Adults Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	3	\$18,285	\$50,112
Reno	NCED Statewide VISTA Project Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	5	\$30,475	\$83,520
Reno	Healthy Futures: Reducing Immunization Disparities Immunize Nevada	AmeriCorps State	2	10	\$51,808	\$157,951
Reno	TMPF VISTA Program Grant 1 Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	15	\$91,725	\$253,161
Reno	Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation (Nevada Volunteers) Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps State	11	46	\$193,589	\$481,918
Reno	Wetlands Restoration Program Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps State	1	14	\$60,950	\$179,989
Reno	Walker Basin Conservancy AmeriCorps Program Walker Basin Conservancy	AmeriCorps State	1	64	\$159,876	\$424,693
Washoe Valley	Great Basin Institute Great Basin Institute	AmeriCorps State	14	175	\$404,157	\$595,000
Washoe Valley	Great Basin Institute The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	25	106	\$255,103	\$33,484
Winnemucca	Nevada Outdoor Schools AmeriCorps Program Nevada Outdoor School	AmeriCorps State	9	22	\$70,802	\$196,390
Yerington	Boys and Girls Club of Mason Valley (June 10 - July 19, 2019) Boys & Girls Clubs of Mason Valley	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	7	-	-
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Senior Corps

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Carson City	Nevada 15 Rural Counties Retired & Senior Volunteer Program Nevada Rural Counties RSVP Inc.	RSVP	41	370	-	\$155,183
Paradise	Jewish Family Service Agency Jewish Family Service Agency	Senior Companion Program	2	68	-	\$226,800

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Paradise	Jewish Family Service Agency II Jewish Family Service Agency	Foster Grandparent Program	14	105	-	\$398,641
Reno	Washoe County RSVP Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	RSVP	23	402	-	\$116,251
Sparks	Northern Nevada FGP Seniors in Service	Foster Grandparent Program	38	86	-	\$493,950
Sparks	Senior Companion Program of Northern Nevada Seniors in Service	Senior Companion Program	1	60	-	\$65,112
SENIOR CORPS TOTAL			119	1,091	-	\$1,455,937

Other Funding

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Reno	Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	Research Grants	-	-	-	\$158,218
Reno	Nevada Volunteers	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$299,044
Reno	Nevada Volunteers	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$265,000
Reno	UWNNS Early Childhood Development & Family Engagement United Way of Northern Nevada and the Sierra	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$70,887
Spring Valley	Opportunity Village Opportunity Village	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$51,926
OTHER FUNDING TOTAL			-	-	-	\$845,075
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